ARISON MICKY MEIR

Form 4

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * ARISON MICKY MEIR

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Middle)

CARNIVAL CORP [CCL]

(Check all applicable)

C/O CARNIVAL

(First)

CORPORATION, 3655 NW 87TH **AVE**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 12/24/2008

_X__ 10% Owner _X__ Director X_ Officer (give title _ Other (specify below)

Chairman & CEO

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

MIAMI, FL 33178

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tak	ole I - Non-De	erivative Sec	curitie	s Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficia	ally Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securitie (A) or Disp (Instr. 3, 4	osed o	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	12/24/2008(1)(2)		A(1)(2)	149,524	A	\$ 0	149,524	D	
Common Stock	12/24/2008		G(3)	149,524	D	\$ 0	0	D	
Common Stock	12/24/2008		D(3)	149,524	A	\$0	483,464	I	By Nickel 2003 Revocable Trust
Common Stock							112,776,715	I	By Various Trusts

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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Tit	le and	8. Price of	1
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transac	tionNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	int of	Derivative	
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	rlying	Security	
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8) Derivativ	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)	į
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					(A) or						1
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					of (D)						
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				~					of		
				Code \	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
ARISON MICKY MEIR C/O CARNIVAL CORPORATION 3655 NW 87TH AVE MIAMI, FL 33178	X	X	Chairman & CEO				

Signatures

Micky M Arison 12/30/2008

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Grant of restricted stock made pursuant to the Carnival Corporation 2002 Stock Plan and the terms of an Executive Long-Term Compensation Agreement. The restriction on the shares lapse on the third anniversary of the grant date.
- The grant date is December 19, 2008. The grant was approved by the Compensation Committee on December 19, 2008 as a total value to be received in the form of restricted shares. The Compensation Committee also approved that the number of shares was to be determined by taking the higher of the average closing price of the period from December 12-17, 2008 and the period from December 19-24, 2008. The final price to determine the number of shares was established on December 24, 2008.
- (3) Gift of Shares to the Nickel 2003 Revocable Trust.

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